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Please do NOT stop XM (or any) satellite radio from providing local traffic and weather. I find this feature very beneficial, but do not see how it threatens the local, over the air, broadcasters of similar info. When I need traffic info, I still tune to the AM station that I have always turned to - XM is just another source, not an exclusionary source, of local info.

Please reject NAB petition 04-160. Let the market decide wether or not this is a successful venture. successful venture.

THANK YOU,

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